

# VIRGINIA

## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAIRFAX COUNTY

In the matter of the change of name of \_\_\_\_\_

At Law \_\_\_\_\_

to \_\_\_\_\_

### PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

COMES NOW the petitioner(s) seeking a change of name for their child/ward pursuant to Virginia Code §8.01-217 and respectfully states under oath as follows:

The child/ward currently resides in the County/City of \_\_\_\_\_.

The petitioner(s) desire(s) a change of name for the following reasons:

\_\_\_\_\_.

This change of name is not sought for any fraudulent purpose and will not infringe on the rights of another.

The name of the child/ward is \_\_\_\_\_.

The current address of the child/ward, including street, city and state of residence is \_\_\_\_\_.

The child/ward's father is \_\_\_\_\_ and the child/ward's mother is \_\_\_\_\_, whose maiden name is \_\_\_\_\_.

The child/ward's date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_, and the place of birth of the child/ward is \_\_\_\_\_.

The child/ward has no felony conviction record, and is not currently incarcerated or a probationer with any court.

The child/ward has never previously had a change of name.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature(s) of Petitioner(s)  
Daytime Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\*\*If there are TWO petitioners, EACH Petitioner's Signature must be notarized.\*\*\*\*\*

IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_:

I, the undersigned Deputy Clerk/Notary Public in and for the State of Virginia, do hereby certify that before me appeared \_\_\_\_\_,

whose name(s) is/are signed to the foregoing Petition, and acknowledged the same under oath before me. Given under my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk/ Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
My Commission expires:

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**ORDER**

This day came the petitioner(s), seeking to change the name of their minor child/ward.

IT APPEARING to the Court that:

The child/ward's date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_, and the place of birth of the child/ward's is \_\_\_\_\_.

The child/ward's father is \_\_\_\_\_ and the child/ward's mother is \_\_\_\_\_, whose maiden name is \_\_\_\_\_.

The child/ward has a no felony conviction record, and is not currently incarcerated or a probationer with any court.

The child/ward has never previously had a change of name.

**ADJUDGED, ORDERED and DECREED** that the name of the child/ward is hereby changed from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, and further

**ADJUDGED, ORDERED, and DECREED** that the Clerk of this Court, pursuant to the provisions of Virginia Code §8.01-217 shall spread this order upon the current deed book, index it in both the old and new names, and transmit a certified copy to both the State Registrar of Vital Statistics and the Criminal Records Exchange.

Entered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUDGE

I ASK FOR THIS:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature(s) of Petitioner(s)